

**United States District Court  
Southern District of Ohio**

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**Related Case Memorandum**

**Civil Cases**

TO: (Judge Watson and Judge Frost)  
FROM: Paula Economus-Stout, Case Administrator  
DATE: July 30, 2012  
SUBJECT: Related cases re: 2:12-cv-445, 2:12-cv-447, 2:12-cv-590, 2:12-cv-604

Case Caption: Willis v. Big Lots, Inc. et al

Case Number: 2:12-cv-00604-GLF-EPD

File Date: 7/9/2012

This memorandum is to notify you that the civil cover sheet on the above referenced case reflects the following alleged related case(s):

**Related Case(s):**

Case Caption: Lamb v. Berger et al

Case  
Number: 2:12-cv-445

File Date: 5/21/2012

Case Caption: Louisiana Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System, et al., v. Berger et al

Case  
Number: 2:12-cv-447

File Date: 5/22/2012

Case Caption: City of Atlanta Firefighters' Pension Fund v. Berger et al

Case  
Number: 2:12-cv-590

File Date: 7/2/2012

The District Judges having conferred, we respond to Case Administrator Paula Economus-Stout as follows:

**Judges' Response:**

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We agree that the cases are not related and that the subject case should remain with the Judge to whom it is assigned.

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We agree that the cases are related and that the subject case should be transferred to the docket of Judge Watson.

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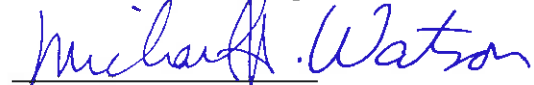
We agree that although the cases are related, the subject case nevertheless should remain with the Judge to whom it was assigned.

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We are unable to agree and will accept any decision made by the Chief Judge.



United States District Judge



United States District Judge